TOWN OF TIVERTON ARTS COUNCIL

Minutes

Monday, December 1, 2014 Town Hall, Tiverton, RI

Present

Guest

M. Diogenes, Chair R. Medeiros, Tresurer W. Longshaw, Publicity D. Gee, Secretary Barbara Pelletier

Meeting called to order @ 10:03 A. M.

I. Minutes:

November 3, 2014 minutes read and accepted

II. Treasure's Report:

R. Medeiros reported - Balance \$439.66

III. New Business:

- A. Discussion of January/February Show Photography / Eleanor Morin
 - 1. The Sapowet Project
 - i. Council asked me to check spelling
 - ii. "The correct and official spelling is indeed Sapowet, for the Marsh and Cove & Wildlife Management Area. You can find these places, all using this spelling, on the web. Just Google Sapowet." (E-mail from Eleanor)
 - 2. Artwork hanging on January 5, 2015 at 10:00am (release form signed by artist)
 - 3. Reception: Sunday, January 18, 2015, 2-4pm, Town Hall
 - i. Arts Council supplies beverages, paper products & centerpiece
 - ii. M. Diogenes will do centerpiece
 - iii. Council members arrive at 1:00pm to set up
 - iv. Artists supply refreshments (D. Gee to notify artist)
 - 4. Show ends February 26, 2015 with pick up Friday, February 27, 2015

B. Discussion of 2015 Programs

- 1. Stained Glass artist, Dianne Larkin showed us examples of her work and the council decided to give her a show in May / June 2015 (Her work will be displayed on the wall to the right of the Town Clerk's doorway)
- 2. We will need additional artists for the May / June 2015 show
- 3. We will need to discuss March / April 2015 show participants during our January meeting

IV. Publicity: W. Longshaw

- A. W. Longshaw will continue to contact Sakonnet Times, Fall River Herald News and the Newport Daily News before each show
- B. Postcard Invitations distributed by D. Gee and Artist
- C. D. Gee will print larger Postcard Poster containing artist's name & review to be placed at entrance to show

V. Arts Council 2015 calendar was reviewed and will be submitted to the Town Clerk's office and State to be posted

VI. Membership:

- A. Barbara Pelletier has applying for last position on Arts Council
- B. M. Diogenes term with the Arts Council will end March 2015 (She will give us a list of her duties as Chair)

VII. Other Business:

- A. There was a discussing of a packet containing Exhibit Application, Gallery Conditions and Map, plus Artist / Artwork Form (with Release Form) The Council decided to table discuss until next year
- B. A discussion of our Web site will be continued in January (Adding and removing information is done by the Webmaster, David Robert, Tax Assessor)

VIII. Date of Next Meeting: January 5, 2015 @ 9:00am

Meeting was adjourned @ 11:47am

Respectfully Submitted, Deborah Ann Gee